FISCAL NOTE

SB 1648 - HB 1435

April 24, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Allows campus security officers at colleges and universities to enter into written mutual assistance or other agreements with other law enforcement agencies, including a county sheriff's department, municipal police department, judicial district drug task force, TBI or Tennessee highway patrol, as are necessary to preserve and protect the property, students and employees of the college or university employing the officers. These agreements may provide for the exchange of mutual assistance to effectuate arrests, execute search warrants, etc., when either security officers or law enforcement officers must act outside their statutory jurisdiction. A law enforcement officer or security officer shall have the same legal status and immunity from suit as officers of the agency the officer is assisting. A law enforcement officer or security officer acting pursuant to such an assistance agreement shall be covered by the liability insurance policy of the agency of the officer's regular employment.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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